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Athabasca Applies For County Status

CIVIL DEFENCE units in Vegreville, Czar, Athabasca and Edmonton are among those in northern Alberta which are co-operating in observing National Civil Defence Day Friday. Demonstrations in first aid and rescue are CD Day highlights. In this photo, paratroopers practice a roof-top rescue.

Red Deer Firm Gets $32,000 Repair Contract For Lac La Biche Wharf

LAC LA BICHE — Contract for reconstructing the government wharf on the lakeshore has been awarded to Kuam Construction, Red Deer, who bid slightly under the government estimate of $32,000, Ottawa sources report. Work should be completed November 15.

No announcement has been made yet on awarding the contract for the RCMP detachment barracks here as tenders only closed last week.

The Red Deer contractors will be called on to repair the superstructure of the 350-foot breakwater wharf.

Plans call for removal of unservicable crib work members, reballasting the whole interior of the breakwater structure including filling it with stone.

New piling will be installed and ice flow base logs in the cribwork structure secured.

Additional work includes reconstruction of the triangular span between the "L" approach and the land. The road approach will be rebuilt and graded.

The new RCMP barracks will measure 65 by 48 and consist of one bedroom, living quarters, cell block and garage. The government is building two similar quarters at Derwent and Manning.

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Information Wanted

The Sun Publishing Co. Ltd. is anxious to contact Charles M. Alley, subscription salesman. He has been carrying a letter of identification which authorizes him to collect subscriptions for the Pembina Herald.

Anyone knowing Mr. Alley's whereabouts or who has contact with him should immediately notify Sun Publishing Co. Ltd. or the nearest detachment of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Dorothy Hall September Bride

LAC LA BICHE — A wedding of interest to many in this district took place Sept. 6th at Jasper United Church when Miss Dorothy Hall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hall of Wainwright became the bride of Mr. Norman Sand of Jasper. The happy couple will reside in Edmonton where Mr. Sand will complete his course in Education at the University of Alberta.

Friends from Lac la Biche who attended the wedding, included Mr. and Mrs. Lou Badry, Mr. and Mrs. P. Brinsmead, Mrs. M. A. Lett and Mr. and Mrs. D. Joncas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall are well known here as Mr. Hall was Superintendent of the Lac la Biche School Division as well as Mayor of the town some years ago.

32 Enroll For Nursing Course

The Home Nursing Course, sponsored by the local W.I. commenced classes Mon. evening, Sept 8 at 8 p.m. Thirty-two are enro'led to date and more are expected in the near future. The course will run for 12 weeks with Miss Tiffin and Miss Stan of the Public Health Unit as instructors.

The classes are held in the Library Room at the town hall, and are open to all ladies and girls who are interested. Mrs. W. E. Coast is registrar for the classes.

Varsity Sets Up Religious School

OTTAWA—Carleton University this year has set up a department of religion, believed the first of its kind in Canada.

The announcement said the department has no definite ecclesiastical connection, and is unique in Canada in this regard.

Study within the department is not intended for divinity or predivinity students, the announcement said, but for general students in arts courses.

The department's chairman is Assistant Professor Lawrence M. Read, a native of Grand Falls, N.B.

Professor Read, visiting lecturer in economics, at Carleton for two years, said:

"The general purpose of the course . . . is to promote a sensitive and intellectually mature understanding of the basic ideas and concerns of outstanding religious leaders and movements, primarily in the Judaeo-Christian tradition, irrespective of whether these coincide or conflict with individual convictions."

Even an intelligent man makes a fool of himself about some things.

Council Debates 2 Hours Before Passing Motion Favoring Change

ATHABASCA — The council of the M.D. of Athabasca has passed a motion to request the minister of municipal affairs, the Hon. A. J. Hooke, to set up a county from the municipal district and school division.

The move followed a series of four meetings arranged by the M. D. council and the school division board at Grassland, Boyle, Perryvale and Athabasca.

A ballot vote was taken after considerable discussion and the following motion passed:

"Whereas there seems to be a dissatisfaction in operation of local governments among the ratepayers of the district and whereas the roads throughout the district are all of the same standard; and,

Whereas the schools are all built and centralized to the same degree throughout the district; and,

Whereas today roads play a very important part in education; and,

Whereas the council and the school board sitting at the same table discussing the same problem and solving the same problems would make for better and more economical administration:

Therefore be it resolved that we ask the Honorable Minister of Municipal Affairs to institute a county system in this district."

Asked to comment, Mr. Hooke said he had not yet received an

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Venice

Mr. and Mrs. Adonias Gingras and children from Valleyview were recent visitors in the district.

The Wheat Pool elevator here was re-opened Sept. 12. Permits are being issued and new grain deliveries have been made.

A delegation of farmers of the surrounding districts attended a Wheat Pool meeting in Calgary.

EXPECT 2,200 AT GM PREVIEW

EDMONTON — Twenty-seven Northern Alberta General Motors dealers will be among 2,200 Chev - Olds and Pontiac - Buick dealers who will attend a preview showing of 1959 models in Calgary Sept. 24 and 25.

A GM spokesman here said invitations flowing into the Calgary office indicate a 100 percent acceptance by dealers.

Twelve - hundred Chev - Olds and 1,000 Pontiac-Buick dealers from Fort William to Vancouver have been invited.

Bear May Have Taken B.C. Girl, 2

PRINCE GEORGE, B.C. — The little town of Willow River came face to face with a horrifying prospect it had tried to ignore for two days: Two - year - old Cindy Lou MacLane may have been carried away by a bear.

The possibility was officially acknowledged when RCMP began sponsoring radio appeals asking anyone with dogs trained in tracking bears to come forward.

Police said all clues to the disappearance of the chunky, spirited tot who was last seen skipping down a street of Willow River had petered out.

Willow River is a sawmill community of 250 located 15 miles east of Prince George at the geographical centre of British Columbia.

BUICK PIONEERS NEW HARDTOP STYLING

Buick sets a new trend in 1959 with the flat roof line on all four-door hardtop models. This model, in LeSabre series, features a curved rear window that encompasses the entire rear passenger compartment. Compound windshields that eliminate wind noises are featured on all 1959 Buick models. Aluminum front brake drums are standard on all Buicks in 1959 and all models are equipped with distortion-free safety glass throughout. LeSabre is mounted on a 123-inch wheelbase and is powered by a 364-cubic inch engine with 10.5-to-1 compression ratio.

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Lac la Biche

Mrs. Marion Bouvier is still in the General Hospital, Edmonton, after undergoing surgery on one of her eyes.

The regular monthly meeting of the Lac la Biche Home and School Association will be held Sept. 26 in the Dr. Swift School. An interesting program is being arranged by the committee.

Jimmy Lloyd, who has been employed in the Forestry Division, Department of Lands and Forests, Lac la Biche, for some time is being transferred to the Fish and Game branch at Cold Lake.

Gourin

An enjoyable party was held for Miss Theresa Proulx and Roger Aubin, sponsored by the young folks of Breynat and Gourin.

Miss Isabelle Boulanger is home after being employed at Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson's home.

Mrs. Andre Ulliac was a recent patient in St. Catherine's Hospital.

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MD Athabasca Council Meeting Takes Two Days For Business

The September meeting of the council of the M.D. of Athabasca took two days. The first day was mainly taken with delegations and salesmen, the second day with correspondence, bills and new business.

A land sale was made to Herbert Sams. J. De Denus, Construction Equipment Company Limited, approached the council regarding rent on the Tournapulls in use on the Calling Lake road.

H. V. Bayliss, co-ordinator of civil defence for the M.D. and the Town of Athabasca, wrote reminding the council of Civil Defence Day, to be Sept. 18, in Athabasca Council agreed it was a fine idea, but felt that if weather were good for harvesting they might be unable to attend. All who can will come.

Letter was read from John Byrtus Sr. regarding drainage. Since it was felt by those who knew the terrain that this was a natural water drain, there was not much could be done. Councillor for the division said he would talk with Mr. Byrtus.

PROTEST

A protest was heard from an ex-employee of the public works department regarding his being let off, and a dispute over time worked. Council stressed that this was usually the department of the individual councillor concerned, but

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Starr Criticizes Bad Housing

OTTAWA — Many Canadians are still living in homes that "no Canadian should be living in." Labor Minister Starr said here, and many children are being raised in circumstances that "should not be allowed to prevail in this country.

"We must help those who cannot help themselves," he said in an address marking the opening of National Home Week. "At the same time we must not neglect to provide facilities for those who are willing to help themselves."

Housing is vital both socially and as an employment maker, especially in the winter months, Mr. Starr said.

The government's home-building target for the year is 150,000 units, he said. By July 31, 88,000 units had been started—an increase of 43 per cent from the comparable period last year. Completions by July 31, totalled 67,000 as against 59,000 at the same date in 1957. The number of completed but unsold homes was lower than last year.

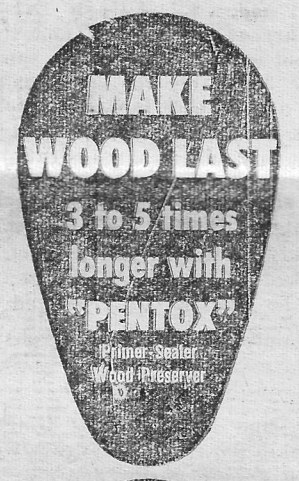
The 1958 program would provide employment directly or indirectly for 375,000 men.

It's a trustful wife who gives her husband letters to be mailed.

Happened Recently

"My wife spends too much, nags me constantly, is very untidy and doesn't understand me!"

"Really? When did you meet this other woman?"



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National Civil Defence Day
FRIDAY
SEPT. 19th

Plamondon

Roy Glew made a business trip to Plamondon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plamondon accompanied by Mrs. Isabelle Plamondon returned from a two-weeks holiday at Trail and Kimberley B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gauthier visited Edmonton recently.

R. E. Piquette and Mr. and Mrs. W. Beaudette attended the Aubee-Prue wedding at Breynat on Sept. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cadieux have moved back to Edmonton.

Leonard Gauthier was a patient in the St. Catherine's Hospital for a few days.

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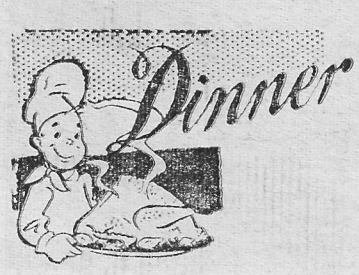

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NO COUNTER SALES — If more than 2,500 applications are received there will be a DRAW immediately after Sept. 30 of 2,500 names from the total received. The names drawn will be issued with licenses by mail.

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E. S. HUESTIS,
Fish and Game Commissioner.

Music Teacher For Lac la Biche

LAC LA BICHE — A full time music teacher, Miss Erica End of Edmonton, is now residing in Lac la Biche and many pupils are again taking up their study of the piano under her instruction.

Coming to Alberta two years ago, Miss End, who studied music in Germany, is very well qualfied for the position. She is residing at the home of Mrs. A. Gaberal, across from the York Hotel and may be contacted there.

Several months ago, a special committee elected by the Home and School Association, began the search for a qualified music teacher to take the place of the former teachers who had moved away.

With the Rev. R. Greene as chairman, the committee, composed of Mrs. J. Breau, Mrs. J. Booker, Mrs. J. Stuart and Mike Maccagno worked diligently to secure a proficient teacher. A survey of the town was made and at that time between 50 and 60 pupils were interested in piano lessons.

Parents who are anxious to have their children continue their musical education are grateful to the committee for their untiring efforts in this regard. Miss End is welcomed to the town and residents trust her sojourn here will be a pleasant one.

Monarch Back In Ford Line

TORONTO— Ford Motor Company of Canada announced that its 1959 line of cars will include the Monarch which was produced from 1946 to 1957 but was discontinued in the 1958 lines.

The car, like its predecessor, will be produced only in Canada, and will be in the medium-price bracket. It will be handled through Ford-Edsel dealers.

Rhys M. Sale, president, said the car is entirely new except for the name and the insignia of the former Monarch line.

Theresa Proulx Becomes Bride

A pretty wedding ceremony took place in St. Theresa's church, Breynat, when Miss Theresa Proulx, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Proulx, became the bride of Mr. Roger Aubin, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. Aubin. Rev. Father Pelletier officiated.

The bride chose a white princess-style gown of sheer chiffon over satin with matching bolero and two white roses at the side. Her only jewelry was a pair of earrings and she carried a bouquet of white and pink roses.

Attending the bride were Miss Elise Proulx, Miss Celine Parent and Miss Marie-Rose Uliac dressed in gowns of blue, pink and yellow respectively, with matching headpieces.

The groom was attended by Mr. Dorien Aubin, Mr. Lionel Hebert and Mr. Philippe Proulx.

A buffet supper was served to over 60 guests at the groom's home.

A large crowd attended the dance that followed at the Wandering River hall, with music supplied by the Normandeau orchestra.

Curbs Urged On Unions

OTTAWA — The Canadian Construction Association submitted a brief to the office of Labor Minister Starr urging legislative curbs on a variety of union powers.

It advocated the prohibition of actions including refusal to cross picket lines, jurisdictional strikes, "organizational" strikes or picketing, and "secondary boycotts."

The brief was submitted in response to Mr. Starr's request earlier to a number of organizations for "considered suggestions" concerning improvement of the federal labor code.

The CCA made public a summary of the 25-page brief.

It requested clarification of existing legislation concerning illegality of picketing and strikes in various forms.

Public services and utilities "shall at all times be subject to the no-strike clause," it suggested. Legislation should acknowledge the "right to work," throwing out the union shop.

The brief added the "firm request" that unions be required to obtain civil status as legal entities for what was described as the protection of the Canadian public against racketeering and other illegal acts. This step would allow unions to be sued in the courts for damages.

Robert Service, Poet, Dies

LANCIOUX, France—Robert W. Service sourdough poet of the Yukon gold rush days who rhymed his way to riches, died in this peaceful Brittany hamlet at the age of 84.

Service, whose Dangerous Dan McGrew was probably better known than himself, had put aside his busy pen only minutes before he was gripped by a fatal heart attack.

He was in the midst of a poem on the longevity of man.

Service died on Robert Service Street, in the big home he bought here some 30 years ago, long after his days in the Canadian Yukon.

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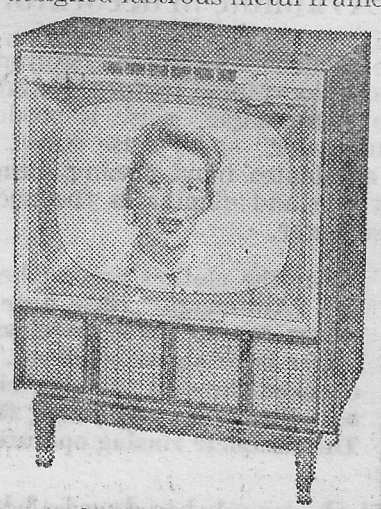
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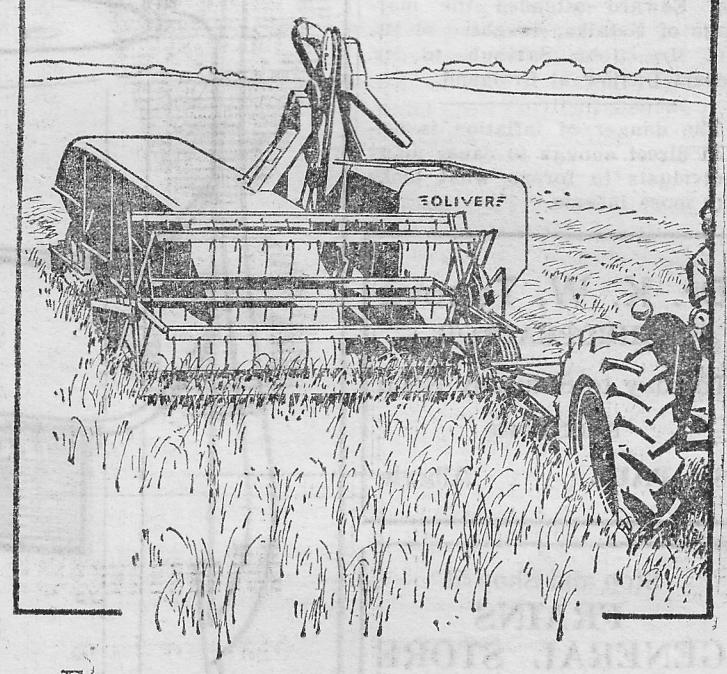

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LAC LA BICHE Alberta

TOWN COUNCIL NEWS

The regular meeting of Lac la Biche town council was held Tuesday, Sept. 9, with Councillors Vincent, Hamar, Lobay, McMillan and Tkachuk present, as well as Mayor Hamar and the secretary-treasurer.

A delegation consisting of William Hamilton and Jack Williams was present representing the Lac la Biche Sea Cadet Corps. They reminded the council that it had been agreed a few weeks earlier that the Sea Cadet committee would be given the privilege of choosing one of the vacant lots owned by the town. for the purpose of erecting a hall for Sea Cadet use. They reported that the committee had chosen Lot 15, Block 33, and council agreed to such an arrangement.

The committee favored allowing the property to remain in the name of the town, with the cadets having control under certain simple terms. The matter was left for the cadet committee and the town secretary to finalize.

A motion was passed instructing the secretary to take necessary steps to have the street angling through Block 33 closed to traffic, and the land returned to lots.

Authorization was given for the purchase of land required for construction of a lift station in connection with the sewer extension project.

First reading was given to a bylaw to amend the cemetery bylaw No. 39. The amended bylaw establishes the price of single plots at $5.00 and double plots at $8.00. Six clauses are added governing the general maintenance of the cemetery.

Lac La Biche Electric was given the contract to heat the Memorial hall, with installation expected to get under way very soon.

Two ratepayers were present to ask that the sewer project now under way, be extended to include dwellings. No assurance was given that this could be done, and it was felt that, for the present, the project as shown on the plans should be completed without any changes or additions.

Immunization Week September 22 - 28

Canada's sixteenth National Immunization Week, sponsored by the Health League of Canada, in co-operation with Departments of Health will be observed throughout the country the week of Sept. 22.

The purpose of the week is to remind parents that their families are not safe from such killers as diphtheria, tetanus, whooping cough, smallpox and poliomyelitis unless they have been protected by immunization.

It has been clearly demonstrated now that by immuniaztion with polio vaccine poliomyelitis, like smallpox, diphtheria, tetanus and whooping cough can be considered to be one of the preventable diseases that no longer should spread death and disaster in its wake.

National Immunization Week is part of the continuous campaign carried on by official health departments against the communicable diseases which can be prevented by immunization. It is only through repeated reminders that Canadians will take advantage of immunization and safeguard themselves from unnecessary disease and crippling.

The Health League is calling on the press, radio and TV stations to assist in passing along this reminder.

Local health departments are invited to co-operate by supplementing these national releases and announcements with local appeals. For further information, write to the Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto, Ontario.

Smart Boy

Teacher: "How many sexes are there?"

Little boy: "Three."

Teacher: "What are they?"

Little Boy: "The male sex, the female sex, and the insects."

Wandering River

Mr. and Mrs. John Karpetz and children visited the district recently.

Miss Gladys Strayski has gone to Edmonton to seek employment and is staying with her cousin. Mrs. Nancy Porozni.

Students of the grades 7, 8 and 9 room are enjoying a brief holiday while their teacher, Nick Gordichuk is in Edmonton on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Nick Strayski and son Edward attended the marriage of Natalka, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Salahub, to Mr. Robert Unslow at Craigend.

The danger of inflation is seldom direct enough to cause many individuals to forego what looks like more income.

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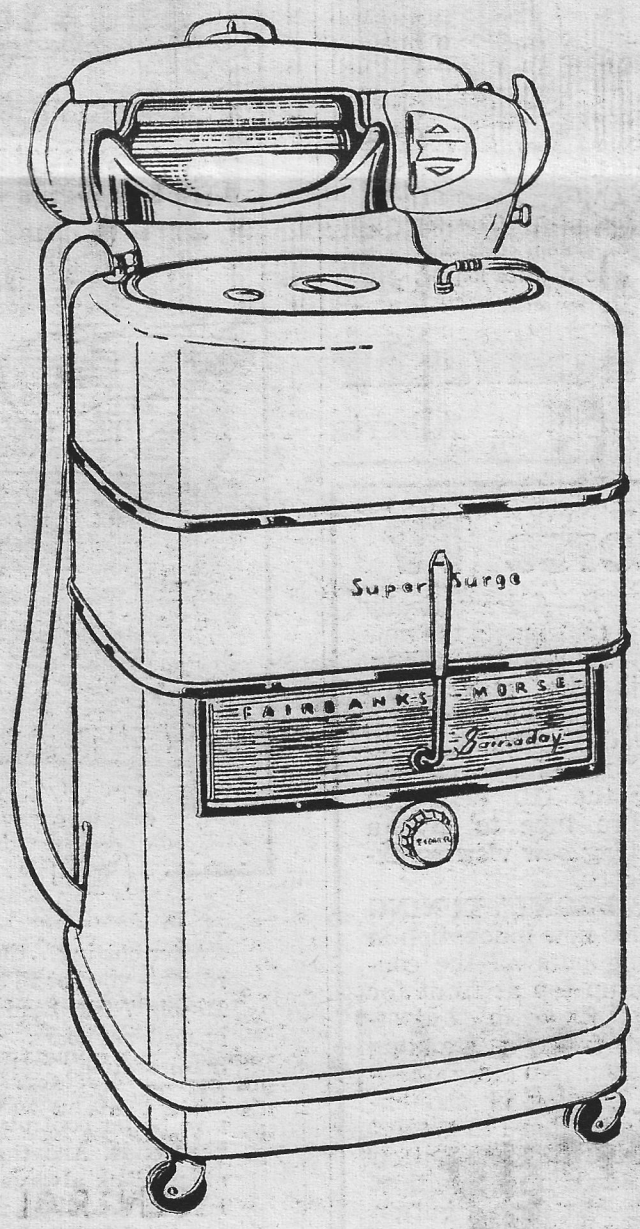

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THE Homemaker

By EDITH WHITNEY

Many stained and spotted articles are thrown out because the proper method for removing stains is unknown. Perhaps the following rules will help you to preserve the life of your articles.

1. Treat stains as soon as possible after they occur. Stains that have dried or have been set by laundering may be very difficult or impossible to remove. Also, treated promptly, the source of the stain is known.

2. Always use the mildest treatment first. If the stain is not greasy, try sponging it with cold water. Sugar stains are easily removed with clear water. If the stain contains grease, a dry-cleaning fluid or soapsuds may do the trick.

3. Some stains are combinations of several types so may require several kinds of treatment. For example, a stain caused by fruit-flavored ice cream is complex. It should be treated promptly as a sugar, egg, grease and fruit stain.

4. Avoid using hot water on questionable stains as it may set them. Test for colorfastness before applying any stain remover to a colored fabric.

5: Use a light, circular movement when working on a stain. Always be sure to remove all traces of any chemical applied to a fabric.

To remove stains the proper cleaners or "stain removers" are necessary. Each cleaner has its uses so be sure you know these before you use the cleaner.

Bleaches — commonly used for stain removal include lemon juice and salt. oxaltic acid, liquid chlorine bleach, and powdered perborate bleach. Chlorine bleaches should never be used on silks or wools and are not advised for nylons or rayons. Before using a bleach on colored or fine fabrics, test for effect on fabric.

To use a chemical bleach, stretch stained material over bowl of steaming hot water. Moisten stained area with water. Then drop chemical on stain with medicine dropper. Let stand a minute. Pour water through fabric to rinse. Since traces of bleach should never remain in the fabric, use a vinegar rinse to remove them. Rinse thoroughly.

Oxalic acid is poisonous and should be labelled "Poison" and handled with great care. Store where safe rfom children.

Absorbents — take up stains and do not leave rings. so are best for use on fabrics that watersnot. They are most effective on fresh greasy or moist stains. To use an absorbent, such as French chalk, talcum powder, salt or cornmeal, work powder into stain with fingers. Brush the absorbent off as it becomes colored. Repeat this process until stain is removed.

Solvents — Water, carbon tetrachloride, benzine, or alcohol dissolve other substances, chiefly grease-bound soil. To sponge with a solvent, lay the fabric, spot-side-down, on a blotter or pad made of folds of cleaning tissue. Then apply the solvent with a cloth, using light strokes and working them from the outside to the center of the spot. The stain comes off on the folds of tissue.

To avoid rings, do not apply too much solvent at a time. Sponge the spot lightly and work rapidly, changing the pad as it becomes soiled. If the material is dark, wet an inconspicuous part, such as the hem of a dress, and use it to sponge the spot. Water spots may be removed by rubbing the fabric between the hands when it is dry.

Boiling water is used for removing fruit stains from white cottons and linens. To be effective the water must be poured from a height of 2 or 3 feet. The force plus the heat of the w\er removes the stain.

For specific stains a booklet on stain removal can be obtained from this office.

MD Athabasca Council Meeting Takes Two Days For Business

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that they would check the time worked.

Doug Foster, of R. Angus (Alberta) Limited, approached the council on machinery, whereby they could trade off an old machine and use the credit as rental on a new one. It ws left to the second day.

Ken Haddow of Waterous Equipment interviewed the council.

On the secoond day a letter was read from a ratepayer regarding appropriation for road on his property. Council had offered the usual two and a half times the assessed value plus the fence, and said that if this was not acceptable the matter would have to go to arbitration.

The 1958 assessment was adopted for purposes of taxation in 1959, in accordance with a recent amendment to the act.

Another ratepayer claimed dirt had been pushed on his fence when a road was being built, and he said e wanted a fence. Council agreed.

CATTLE CROSSING

Mrs. F. Gray of Bondiss asked for a cattle crossing at the SW 9-65-18 which was granted.

Request for payment for brush cutting was deferred until the brush was burnt, as per agreement.

Question of a fire in the Paxson area was discussed fully and no action taken by the council at this time. The conditions contained in fire permits were discussed.

Council agreed to raise rent on a temporary road through Bill Flato's place from $10 to $15.

A report was made on the fire at C. S. McEvony's on August 25. Councillor Lovam reported he had put his own TD18 to work and had hired a D7. The place had been fireguarded and fire brought under control. House, shop and 40 acres of timber had been lost, along with all Mr. McEvony's personal possessions.

Various welfare cases were dealt with.

SCHOOL BUSES

E. Parr, chairman of the divisional board, met with the council in regard to the new policy regarding school buses. Now the division is endeavoring to bring the bus to within half a mile of each child instead of the mile and a half previously. He requested that each councillor make it a point to be available sometime in the near future and he would cover the new routes in each division.

Educational matters and van routes were discussed for some time.

The Service Board minutes of the meeting, Sept. 2, were read.

Following the recommendation of the board, council moved that whereas there is no representative of the department of lands and forests in Athabasca, and whereas it is very difficult for resident farmers of this district to get hay and timber permits (having to go in some cases to Slave Lake, Edmonton or Lac la Biche) therefore be it resolved we ask the department of lands and forests that they give authority to some Civil Service employee now residing in Athabasca to receive applications for permits.

BANG'S VACCINATIONS

Bang's vaccination, on request by the service board, will be carried on in the same manner as last year.

Number 1080 coyote poison will again be carried out under the supervision of the service board.

Report of the delegation to the farm of W. A. Sanderson of Colinton was given. The council as a whole visited the above location and found that the inability of Mr. Sanders to crop his land during the past two years, due to spring flooding, was due to no fault in road construction as Mr. Sander's land is a piece of burnt-over, low-lying area subject to overflow from Pine creek. Although council feels no obligation, it is willing to try to assist Mr. Sanders by deepening the west ditch.

OPTOMETRISTS

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Lucille Joncas, Harold Lange Wed In Double-Ring Ceremony

Pink and white gladioli decorated the church and marked the guest pews of St. Catherine's Roman Catholic Church, August 28 for the wedding of Miss Lucille Mary Anne Joncas and Mr. Harold Wilhelm Lange. Father McGrane officiated at the double ring service for the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Joncas of Lac la Biche and the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lange of Hamburg, Germany.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was charming in a floor-length model of net over satin with insets of lace in the full skirt. The lace bolero featured a Peter Pan collar trimmed with sequins and lilypoint sleeves. Her chapel veil was held in place by a dainty bridal cap of net and sequins. Her jewelry was a pearl necklace and earrings, gift of the groom, and her bouquet was red roses, lilies-of-the-valley and fern.

Matron of honor was Mrs. M. A. Lett of Lac la Biche. and bridesmaids were Miss Noreen Schuttler of Spruce Grove, cousin of the bride, and Miss Cecile Rudiger of Lac la Biche. The attendants wore similarly styled gowns of net over satin in shades of light blue, coral and turquoise blue, respectively, with picture hats to match. Their bouquets of roses contrasted with their gowns.

Collette Rudiger, as flower girl, was dressed in pink satin and carried a basket of flowers. She was escorted by her brother, Pat Rudiger.

Mr. Archie Joncas, brother of the bride, was best man and Mr. Leopold Langevin was usher.

Music was provided by the church choir with solos by Mrs. C. Hamel.

Following the ceremony, a dinner for 46 guests was held at the York Hotel. The bride's table was centered with a beautifully-decorated four-tiered wedding cake.

Leo Gargus was toastmaster for the occasion.

Out-of-town guests and close friends were entertained at the home of the bride's parents during the afternoon, where a buffet supper was served. To receive her guests Mrs. Joncas, mother of the bride, was gowned in a maroon two-piece model of pebbled silk with white accessories and wore a corsage of pink and white roses.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brinsmead of Lac la Biche represented the parents of the groom. Mrs. Brinsmead chose a tan figured silk dress with sand accessories. Her corsage was of yellow roses.

In the evening a wedding dance, attended by over 200 friends was held in the Memorial Hall. The Gargus orchestra supplied the music.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schuttler, Allan and Garry, and Miss Noreen Schuttler of Spruce Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Alf Joncas, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Joncas, Mrs. H. H. Robinson, Miss C. M. Watson, Miss R. Crackle, all of Edmonton, Mr. Lynn Hall of Wainwright, Mr. and Mrs. N. Myskew of Two Hills, Mr. and Mrs. J. Semenuik, Boyle.

Mr. and Mrs. Lange will reside in Lac la Biche.

Relatives Entertained At Christening

LAC LA BICHE—Duane Peter was the name given the two months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lobay at a ceremony conducted in the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Church Sunday, Sept. 6.

Godparents for the infant were Dr. Fred Lobay, Smoky Lake, Mr. Steve Tsysk, Donatville, Mrs. Ann Weleschuk, Edmonton and Mrs. Mary Sawchuk, Lac la Biche.

Later a dinner for the relatives and godparents was served at the Lobay home. Here from a distance, for the happy occasion were the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lobay of Smoky Lake also Mr. and Mrs. Steve Antonuik of Smoky Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lobay of Edmonton.

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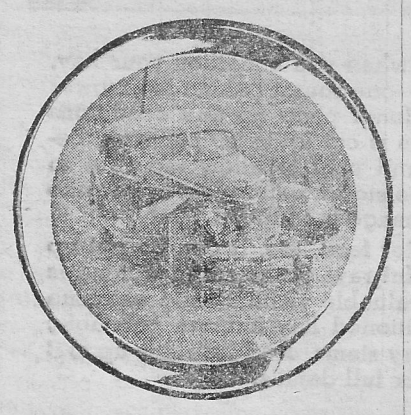

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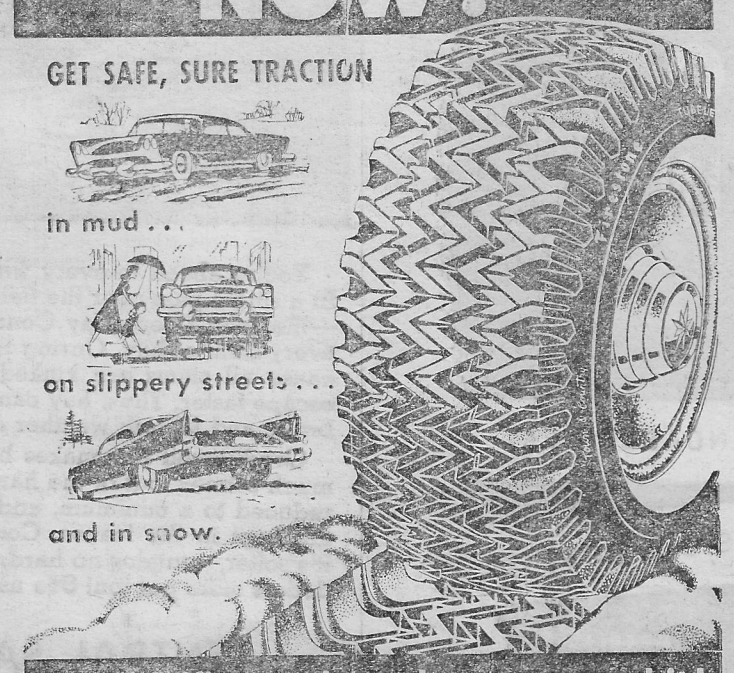
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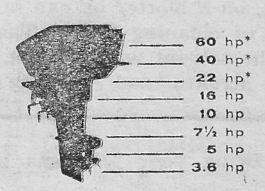

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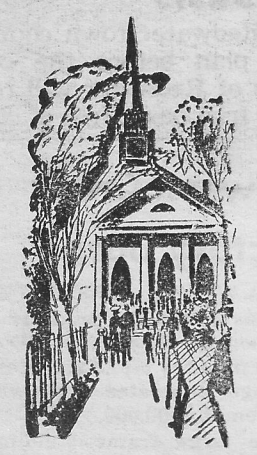

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Boyle—Sunday, Sept. 28.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cutrell of San Jose, Calif., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Cutrell.

Bruce Moore and Paul Hastings of Los Angeles, Calif., enjoyed a holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sacre.

Mrs. Matt Osadchuk has returned home after being a patient in the University Hospital, Edmonton.

Mrs. Harry Keep recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson of Calgary.

John Marrs of Edmonton has been renewing acquaintances in the district.

Atmore

Mrs. R. Guedo and children left recently for Perryvale where Mr. Guedo is a member of the teaching staff.

Max Stanchfield, employed by the Forestry Branch and stationed at Lac La Biche, has been holidaying at his home here. John Thomas, also a member of the Forestry Branch, was a recent guest at the Stanchfield home.

New houses are under construction for Mr. and Mrs. William Ballard, Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Nick Kostiuk.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Croutze are guests at the home of Mr. Croutze's parents here.

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Council Debates 2 Hours Before Passing Motion Favoring Change

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application from the M.D. of Athabasca.

"However," he said, "We haven't turned one down yet."

ELEVENTH COUNTY

Athabasca would become Alberta's 11th county.

At the annual ratepayers' meeting at Colinton it was decided to hold a series of public meetings to provide information on and to discuss the county system.

Unofficial votes taken at recent meetings gave a total of 86 in favor of the change and 64 opposed.

At Grassland the vote was 31 for: 33 against. In Athabasca there was 31 for: 15 against. In Boyle the vote was 12 for: 7 against and in Perryvale 12 for and 5 against. This adds up to a total score of 86 for and 64 against.

The M.D. will be divided into divisions in order to hold nominations and a vote to elect a council, usually consisting of 7 members including a reeve. The number depends on the M.D.'s requirements.

SECRET BALLOT

A secret ballot will be held before January, each division voting for the man or men nominated in the division. This is the usual procedure. It is possible though to nominate by divisions and then vote at large, but the former is generally favored.

Mr. Hooke said the county could call a vote in four years time to determine if the ratepayers wish to continue with the system. Six similar votes have been called in the past and a large majority of ratepayers have voted to retain the system.

Mr. Hooke said the people responsible for roads and bridges are also responsible for education. The educational set up functions very efficiently under the county system.

RECENT MEETINGS

Observations on his visit to the County of Grand Prairie were given at a few meetings by Val Breckenridge, reeve of the Athabasca M.D. Ed Parr, divisional board chairman, has explained the advantages and disadvantages of the system as related to schools.

Regardless of what system is used, Mr. Parr said, the thought of cutting down school expenses is illogical as most of the school expenses are fixed.

Now, he said, a councillor has only to know the contents of one act, but when the county comes in he would have to know all about the municipal, school and hospital acts.

Mr. Parr feels the working of the county would be as efficient as the people elected to the positions would allow.

Grassland

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Garnier were recent visitors at the home of Mr. Garnier's parents.

Duck-hunting season brought many visitors from Edmonton, including Vince McKenzie and Walter Melnyk.

Alex Hula Sr. reports the loss of over 100 chickens which disappeared while the family was absent for a few hours last Tuesday.

Mr. Bracco, with the assistance of his two sons John and Gordon, has completed renovation of the Northway Cafe.

South Hylo

Robert and Bernard McDonald were weekend guests at their home here.

Mrs. Ken Larson and daughter Sylvia spent a few days at the home of the former's parents while Mr. Larson was a business visitor in the district.

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Rich Lake—School, third Thursday, Sept. 18, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Athabasca—Office, third Friday, Sept. 19, 10 - 11 a.m. and 1:30 - 4 p.m.

Lac la Biche—Office, third Friday, Sept 19, 10:00 - 11 a.m. and 1:30 - 4 p.m.

Grassland—Nurses Home, fourth Monday, Sept. 22, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Boyle—Library, fourth Tuesday, Sept. 23, 1:30 - 3:30 p.m.

Rochester—School, fourth Wednesday, Sept. 25 2:30- 3:30 p.m.

Athabasca—Office, fourth Friday, Sept. 26, 10:00 - 11 a.m. for adults and 1:30 - 4 p.m. for Infant and Pre-School.

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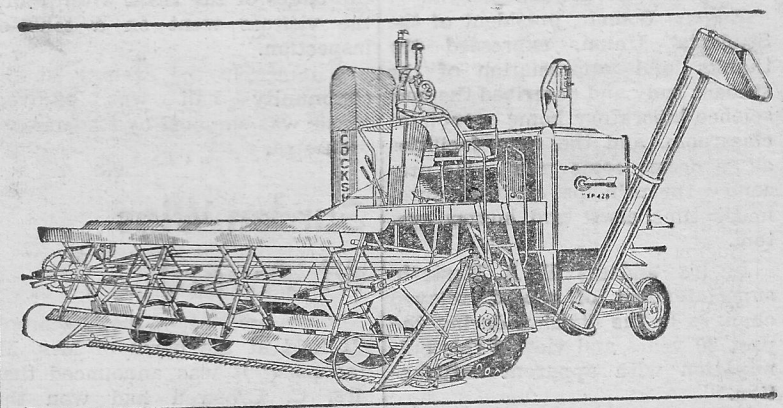

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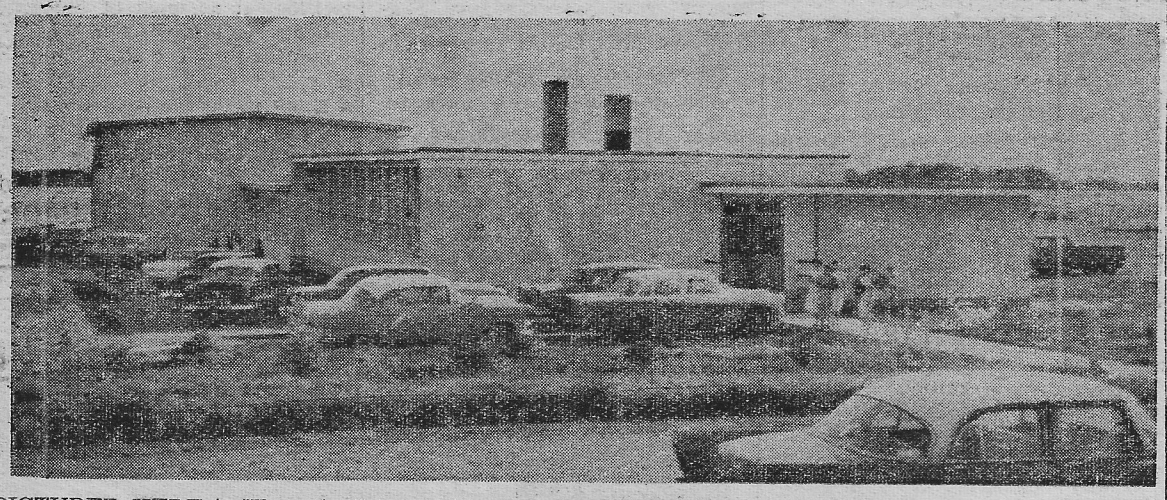

PICTURED HERE is Warspite School with its new addition which was officially opened Aug. 25 when T. C. Byrne, chief superintendent of schools for Alberta, cut the ribbon.

200 Attend Opening Addition Warspite School; Awards Presented

WARSPITE — Two hundred parents, ratepayers and school children watched Dr. T. C. Byrne, chief superintendent of schools, cut the ribbon and declare the new addition to the Warspite school officially opened, at 2:00 p.m., Aug. 25.

The afternoon program, conducted by Mrs. J. Bielish, divisional trustee, was held in the gymnasium. Beautiful floral arrangements, presented by E. Olekshy, architect, Poole Construction Company and many local Home and School members, tastefully decorated the stage and the rooms of the new addition.

Following the invocation by Mr. W. Howie of Waskatenau, opening remarks were given by Mrs. J. Bielish, who stated that the building program was "an investment in the future". The address of welcome was delivered by Mayor P. S. Kozdrowski. Fraternal greetings from the Alberta Teachers' Association (local) were brought by M. Skuba, Smoky Lake.

Mrs. T. Pilipchuk, president of the Warspite HSA, expressed thanks to the Department of Education and the Divisional Board, and presented the principal, P. Kozdrowski with a cheque for $50 to go towards the purchase of a microphone for the school gym.

Eugene Bodnar, president of the Students' Union, expressed the thanks and appreciation of the student body and described the new science laboratory home economics classroom, and the gym facilities as "a dream come true". He presented the principal with an automatic time clock and buzzer system.

In his address H. A. Kostash, superintendent of school, relayed changes in the division during the past 20 years and viewed this culmination with apparent satisfaction.

Alfred Macyk, M.L.A., and M.D. councillor, congratulated the school board and the ratepayers for the fine schools in the division and commented on the excellent cooperation between the school board and the municipal council.

In the absence of the architect, E. Olekshy, Dr. Byrne presented the symbolic key to Principal P. Kozdrowski, who introduced his staff: J. Goruk, M. Sokolowski, W. Laschuk, Miss Cebuliak, Mrs. W. Tomkow and Mrs. R. Tronnes, with Mrs. G. McNamara as home economics, and S. Z. Klem as industrial arts instructors.

Ronald Zukiwsky and Henry Pilipchuk each played an accordion solo, while Misses Yvonne Kozdrowski and Irene Farynowski played a piano duet, "Two Guitars". Mrs. J. Melnyk, accompanied by Irene Farynowski sang "Bless This House".

Alvin Calvert, past president of the HSA, presented the annual HSA scholarships. In grade 9, Eugene Bodnar came first, with Irene Farynowski second; in grade 10, Mary Yvonne Kozdrowski was first and Louise Kochanowski second, while in grade 11, Ben Gwaltnew was the lone winner.

Mrs. P. S. Kozdrowski, president of the Warspite WI, brought greetings and congratulations from her branch, and made a presentation of a tea service in Flemish copper for the new Home Economics room. Mrs. G. McNamara very graciously accepted the gift and expressed her thanks an behalf of the many girls who will use it.

Dr. Byrne, in his address, gave some early history of the school in this area. He commended the school board on the building and the educational facilities, and the architect on the design of the structures. On behalf of the department of education, he presented the principal with a picture to be hung in the school.

Benediction was pronounced by Mr. Howie and tea was served by the ladies of the HSA, after which the visitors went on a tour of inspection.

A dance in the evening at the community hall was enjoyed. Music was supplied by Radomsky's orchestra.

Garden Wins WI Award

At the meeting of the Newbrook WI held at the home of Mrs. M. Radomsky it was announced that Mrs. C. Croswell had won the award for the best kept nine-foot lawn and garden project sponsored by the WI.

It was decided to start work on articles for the annual bazaar. After the business session was adourned a social half-hour was held, during which lunch was served by the hostess.

Honored On 70th Birthday

ABEE — A surprise birthday party was held in honor of Emil Jarvie on the occasion of his 70th birthday.

An early settler of the district, Mr. Jarvie lived on his farm until recently when he moved to town.

The guests enjoyed a social hour spent in the exchange of anecdotes and reminiscences of pioneer days, as well as discussion of current events.

A pleasant celebration was climaxed with the serving of lunch by the ladies.

BEN GWALTNEY, Grade 9 student, is shown here receiving the scholarship sponsored by the Home and School Association at the opening ceremonies at the Warspite school. Alvin Calvert, past president of the group, made the presentation.

Phyllis Palahniuk Busy Bee Winner

The Two Hills Busy Bees Garden club held achievement day on Sept. 3 in the Elks' hall.

Miss Phyllis Palahniuk, whose garden was named best by judges Miss Mewha, Miss Pasochnik, Miss Maskaluk and Mr. Fleming, was presented with a cuckoo clock donated by the Alberta Wheat Pool.

In a hall bright with fall bouquets and attractive table centres were displayed garden vegetables, canned veegtables, relish dishes and flowers.

The large crowd in attendance included visitors from Innisfree, Hairy Hill, Myrnam and Champlain. They were entertained by the girls in a program of songs talks, a play and a demonstration on "Let's Freeze Peas."

The pleasant evening was concluded with lunch served by the girls.

The club consists of 11 members and their leader, Mrs. Mary Buk.

Parents Honored By Young People

When the Jarrow-Melbra YPA held a social evening Sept. 5 the guests of honor were their parents and members of the congregation.

After brief addresses of appreciation for their work with the group Mrs. Laing and Mr. Rayment were presented with gifts on behalf of the association.

A pleasant evening was spent in various forms of entertainment, climaxed with lunch served by the young people.

Advertising is the bait that business fishermen use.

Ratepayers To Receive Redwater News On Six Months Trial Basis

T. W. Pue, meeting with the Redwater town council at their last regular meeting, put a plan before the council whereby all ratepayers in the town of Redwater will receive the Redwater News on a six months trial basis, free of charge.

The ratepayers will be asked at the annual meeting, held in February if they wish to continue the paper, and is so the town will make arrangements with Sun Publishing Co. for the ratepayers to receive the paper at a yearly subscription rate of $1.25. The town will also receive all of its advertising free. The town secretary will send a list of the ratepayers to the paper within the next week or so.

Council appointed Mr. R. Hill returning officer for forthcoming elections in October to fill seats to be vacated by Councillors L. A. Walker and O. Antoniuk.

Nominating day will be the 24th of September from 11 a.m. to 12 noon. Mr. Hill will be in the town office with the necessary papers for applicants or office.

Repairs to the skating rink were discussed. However because there is still time before skating season, the matter is being held over to another meeting.

Councillor Stetsko has been given authority to get a local firm to dig up hydrants on the townsite to repair same.

Taylor Takes Village Status

DAWSON CREEK—Letters patent incorporating the new village of Taylor were granted last week, on the heels of a recent vote of ratepayers which approved incorporation plans. The community straddles the Alaska Highway.

An interim council for the village on the north bank of the Peace River was named in the letters patent, with Robert Lee Wheatley as chairman. Other members of the interim council, which will hold office until the municipal elections in December, are: Anthony Frederick von Hollen Paul Hadland Hill, Melvin Glenn Kylo and Samuel Joshua Miller.

In the December elections, a chairman will be elected for a two-year term; two commissioners for two-year terms; and two commissioners for one-year terms.

To provide financing for the balance of this year, the province will pay from consolidated revenue to the village an amount equal to one-half of the taxes levied under the "Taxation Act" for 1958 on the real property within the village.

HAMILTON PLANS NORTHERN TRIP

OTTAWA— Resources Ministe Alvin Hamilton will spend a week in the Yukon and Northwest Territories early next month on a major inspection trip.

He will be accompanied by Deputy Minister Gordon Robertson also commissioner for the Northwest Territories.

Mr. Hamilton's northern visit, his seventh as minister, will start Sept. 9 at Whitehorse, Y.T. His inspection trip completed, he will fly Sept. 16 to Edmonton, where he is to address a northern development conference the next day.

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REDWATER—Experienced, well-equipped hunters, with their blood line dogs, who travelled far afield on opening day, and got nothing for their troubles should hear this.

First time out hunters Bill Mitchell Jr. and Ervie Lakusta, with single shot shotguns and a Heinz dog, walked one mile out of town on opening day and potted seven ducks.

Dawson Creek Factory Burns

DAWSON CREEK, B.C. — Flames swept the property of the Dawson Creek Sash and Door Co. in 40 minutes late Friday, causing damage estimated by owner E. Hansen at $100,000.

The large frame building was burned to the ground. A small amount of merchandise was salvaged by firemen but most of the plant's planer equipment was believed destroyed.

The company employed 18 persons. The cause of the blaze has not been determined.

Vice-Principal Is Hi-Fi Fan

VALLEYVIEW — Lovers of high-fidelity should be able to have all the free advice on hi-fi sets they ould hope for.

Jim Cornelson, vice-principal of the Valleyview school, is a hi-fi fan. He has built his own set by the "kit and parts" method.

He now has a $1,200 value for the small investment of $250.

Just before school started Mr. Cornelson was fighting the 'flu bug that seemed to be going around town.

He and his wife, Dora, and their three children, came to Valleyview from Three Hills.

Mr. Cornelson taught elementary grades in the Prairie Bible Institute, an interdenominational Christian school. He taught grade 5 for two years and grade 7 for one.

He taught four years in the Okanagan, having spent one year at bible school at Winkler, Man.

Mrs. Cornelson was schooled at Crooked Creek, spent one year at the Peace River Bible Institute at Sexsmith, before moving to Kelowna to work.

They are living in the two-room teacherage next door to the teacherage occupied by Roy Harback, principal.

Kopps Heads Andrew Lions

ANDREW—Athur C. Kopp was officially installed as president of the Andrew Lions Club by past president F. O. Olson at a meeting held recently. Other new officers are first vice-president W. Kurylo; second vice-president, John Wynnychuk; third vice-president, H. B. Olson; secretary-treasurer, M. Krywaniuk; Lion tamer, A. G. Palamarek; tail, twister, Adam Swab and directors—Alex Serediak and Henry Markewich.

The new president presented the following members with 100 per cent attendance buttons: Nick Dowhaniuk, J. Huculak, M. Krywaniuk, N. A. Melnyk, F. O. Olson, H. B. Olson, A. G. Palamarek, J. Wynnychuk, W. Kurylo. A. C. Kopp also received the 100 per cent attendance button.

Flags Stolen

Things don't disappear too often in Redwater, but some of the objects which go astray have the law scratching its head.

Western Leaseholds Ltd. have reported to the local police the theft of their Union Jack from the flagpole in front of their office on Third Street west.

This might not be so strange, however it is the second flag, measuring six feet by eight feet which has been taken within a year.

FAREWELL MISSIONARY RALLY will be held Tuesday, Sept. 23, at First Baptist Church in Edmonton for six missionaries who are going to the foreign field under the Baptists of Canada. From left to right are Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milton who are going to Bolivia, Miss Merle Johnson to Angola, Eric MacKenzie to Angola, and Rev. and Mrs. Art Fritzke to India. Mrs. Milton who comes from northern Alberta will not be present at the rally.

BAPTISTS TO HOLD FAREWELL RALLY FOR MISSIONARIES

EDMONTON—Five of six missionaries going to the foreign field under the Baptists of Canada mission will be feted at a farewell rally in First Baptist Church on Tuesday, Sept. 23.

Rev. and Mrs. Art Fritzke, who are going to India, both have B.A. degrees from U.B.C. Evelyn is a daughter of Dr. and Mrs. O. E. Daniel, and was born in India. Arthur has his B.D. from Berkeley Baptist Divinity School. They have one child.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Milton will be posted to Bolivia. Muriel comes from northern Alberta. Ed has his B.A. from the University of Alberta and is completing B.D. work at McMaster now. They have three children. Mrs. Milton is unable to be present at the rally.

Miss Merle Johnson will be stationed in Angola. Her home is Winnipeg, and she holds B.Sc. and B.Paed. degrees from the University of Manitoba.

The sixth missionary is Eric MacKenzie who is also going to Angola. Hailing from Vancouver, Eric is another U.B.C. grad, holding the B.A. (Sc.) degree. He is at present in the B.D. course at McMaster.

$11,040 For Oil Rights

EDMONTON — The provincial treasury received $11,040 in a mining recorder's sale of petroleum and natural gas rights on 15 small parcels of land.

Sun Oil Company was the major purchaser, paying a total of $5,444 for three parcels in the Tofield area 40 miles southeast of Edmonton and one in the St. Paul region about 100 miles northeast of here.

Richfield Oil Corporation paid $5,171 for five parcels in the Tofield section and Texaco Exploration paid $424 for six parcels in the Rivercourse area near the Alberta - Saskatchewan boundary about 140 miles southeast of Edmonton.

Albertan Spared Death Penalty

OTTAWA — A death sentence passed against John Krukowski, 64, for the rifle-slaying of his daughter-in-law near Sedalia, Alta., last Jan. 31, has been commuted by the cabinet to life imprisonment.

The justice department announced the death sentence to have been carried out Sept. 15, is commuted to life imprisonment in the Prince Albert penitentiary.

Krukowski, who farmed near New Brigden, Alta., shot Mrs. Rose Krukowski eight times following a dispute which, evidence showed, involved revenge and jealousy.

He was convicted at Hanna, Alta., June 11. The jury made no recommendation for mercy and there was no appeal to the Alberta Appeal Court.

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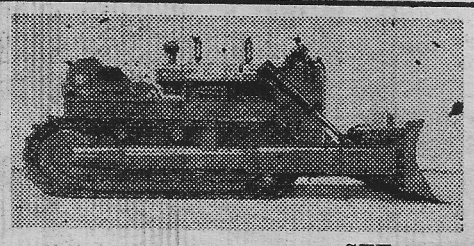

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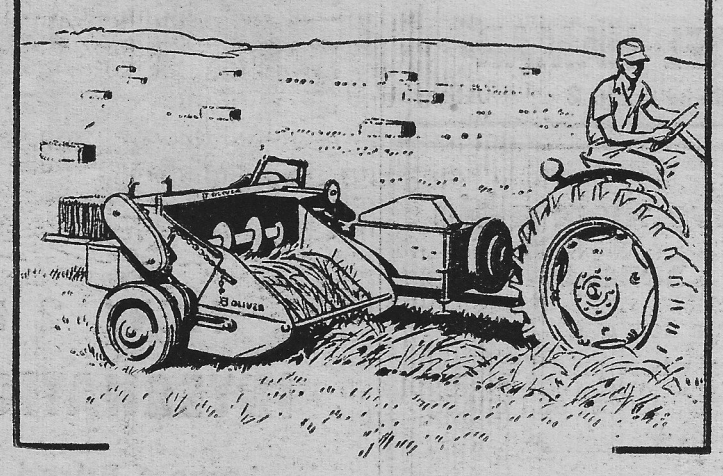

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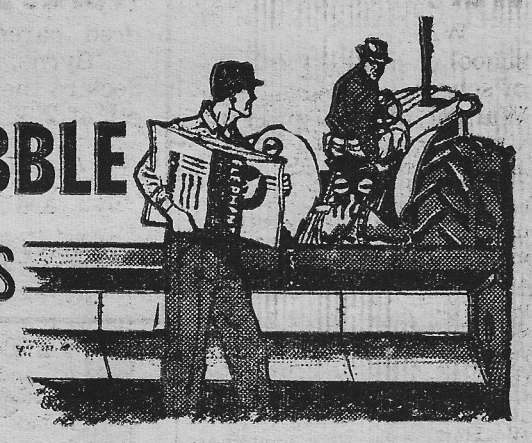

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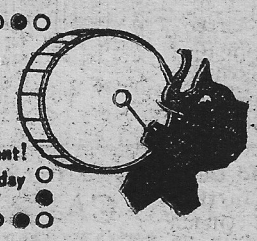

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Mrs. M. Maccagno Cuts Ribbon To "Open" Hudson's Bay Store

LAC LA BICHE — Friday, Sept. 5 was a red letter day in Lac la Biche as it marked the "grand opening" of the newly-renovated Hudson's Bay Store. Long before opening time at 9:00 a.m., crowds were gathering at the main entrance of the trim white and green store.

Rev. Father McGrane was master of ceremonies for the occasion and handled the mike of the public address system. After "God Save the Queen" was broadcast from the store's newly installed recorded music system, Father McGrane gave a short address, stating how pleased he was to be present on such an occasion. Mayor Steve Hamar brought greetings from the town council and wished the "Bay" many years of prosperity. Eugene Martin, manager of the store, welcomed the public to the newly-decorated premises, mentioning some of the added features. W. J. Cobb, Edmonton, manager of the Western Division of the Hudson's Bay Co. expressed his pleasure at being present for such a momentous occasion.

Mrs. M. Maccagno, wife of the local MLA was called upon to cut the ribbon to mark the official opening. Before opening the store to the public Miss Geraldine Cherkas presented Mrs. Maccagno with a corsage of roses. Then Mr. Martin, on behalf of the Hudson's Bay Co., presented Father McGrane with a flight bag. Mayor Hamar a Philo-shave, Mrs. Maccagno with a Hudson Bay blanket, and Geraldine Cherkas with a camera.

The crowd then moved into the store. At the door the first 100 ladies were presented with corsages and the children received balloons. Grocery hampers were given to the first fifty customers entering the grocery department. Many items were on sale during the first two days. Door prizes were a radio, won by June Bourque of Lac la Biche and a General Electric steam iron won by Mrs. John Onefruw.

The store, which features completely modern equipment, has new display counters in the grocery department as well as in the dry goods section. New self-serve counters have been installed in the meat department. Two loud speakers relay recorded music throughout the store. A television arial has been erected on the roof of the store, and customers are able to view TV right in the store every afternoon. A complete line of meats, men's, ladies' and children's wear, notions, yard goods and furniture, including refrigerators, chrome sets and living room furniture is displayed.

Eugene Martin has been manager of the store for more than seven years. Rod Cherkas, manager of the grocery department, has been with the store since it was purchased from Alex Hamilton 12 years ago. Mrs. Natalie Stubberfield, ladies' wear department, has been with the store for six years. Other employees are Ron Eisenzimmer, men's wear, Bill Schirrmacker, Polly Bara and Gertie Huppie, grocery department.

For the opening day ten extra girls were employed to serve the crowds who thronged the store.

The improvements to "The Bay" signify the confidence that business men have in the future of this bustling town of the North.

Amber Valley

Roy Carothers and family from Violet Grove were visitors over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Pawley and their sister were visitors from Edmonton over the weekend.

Robert Heslep and family visited relatives here recently.

Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. D. Saunders are home after spending a few days in Calgary with their friends and relatives.

Mrs. N. G. Murphy went to Edmonton over the weekend, where she will receive medical treatment.

Caslan

Mike Patrick and his mother, Mrs. Patrick of Edmonton were recent visitors at the former's farm in the district.

Nancy Krawchuk returned home to visit after two months spent in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cislo were weekend guests in Thorhild.

Mrs. C. York and family are making their home at the teacherage.

Peter Rudiak and Victor Strembitsky are staying at the home of John Gereluk.

Mrs. Sam Shott is home on a visit from an Edmonton hospital where she is a patient.

A time to think is as important as time to work.

Urges Canada, U.S. To Use Boxcar Flashers

OTTAWA — Senator A. K. Hugessen has suggested that Canada and the United States act in unison on a new Canadian plan to put reflective flashers on the sides of railway cars as an accident-prevention move.

The Quebec Liberal referred to the many boxcars from U.S. Railways which are used on Canadian lines.

It would be dangerous, he said, in the Senate, if only some box cars had the reflectors, which are designed to prevent automobiles from running into the side of freight trains at night. Motorists approaching crossings would not know whether or not they would be warned of a freight train.

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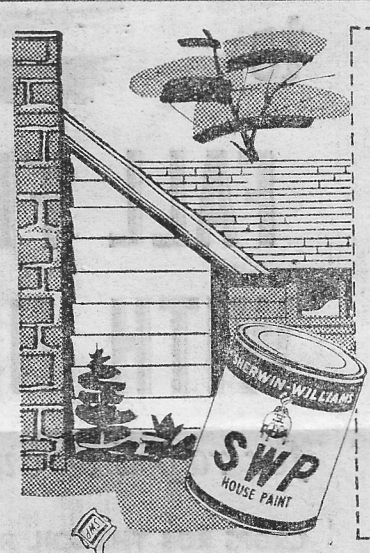

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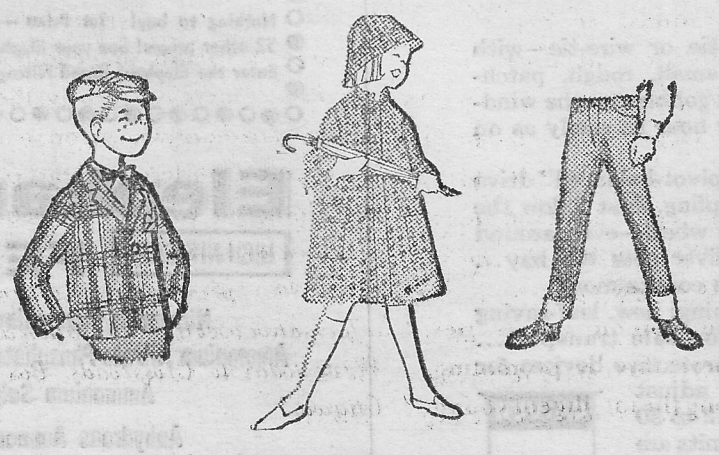

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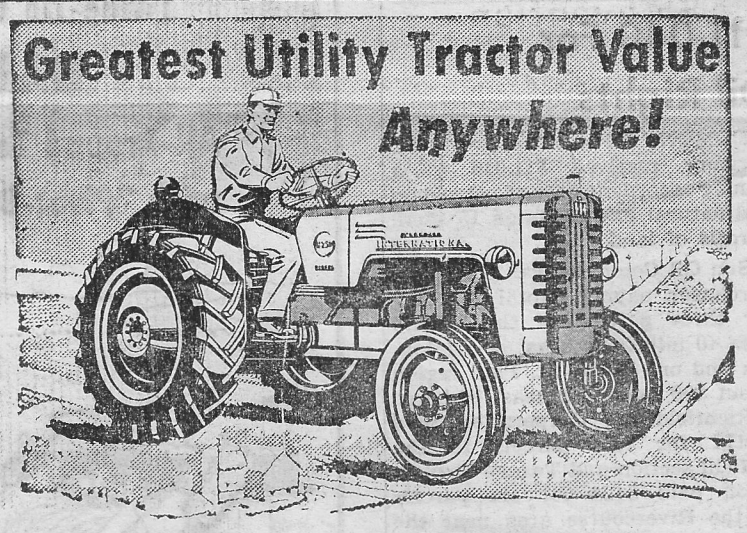

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Dale Thomson To Organize Liberals

Named as organizer for the provincial Liberal leadership convention which will be held in Edmonton Oct 31 and Nov. 1, Dr. Dale C. Thomson, of Ottawa, has arrived here to take over his new duties. He conferred with John Decore, president of the Alberta Lberal Association, and other officals.

Dr. Thomson, a personal secretary to Rt. Hon. Louis St. Laurent when the latter was prime minister, was a candidate for the Liberals in Jasper-Edson riding in the last federal general election but was unsuccessful.

Dr Thomson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomson of Fort Assiniboine. He served overseas with the RCAF in the Second Great War and won the Distinguished Flying Cross. In 1948, he graduated from the university here. Later, he received his master's degree and a doctorate in Paris.

Preliminary plans are being advanced for the Liberal leadership convention, according to party officials. It is expected that a field of six or more will be nominated.

Ralph Walker, of Calgary, is the first announced candidate. Among others mentioned are Grant MacEwan, MLA, of Calgary Crawford Ferguson, of Trochu, who contested Acadia federal riding for the Liberal party in 1957, Richard Hall, MLA for Athabasca, A. W. Platt, president of the Farmers' Union of Alberta, Mayor Hawrelak, of Edmonton, Hugh John MacDonald, MLA, of Calgary, acting house leader, and Mayor Don Mackay, of Calgary.

Municipalities Plan Convention

Executive members of the Union of Alberta Municipalities met at City Hall to prepare the program for the union's annual convention.

The convention is planned for Oct. 30 and 31 at the Macdonald.

Attending the meeting were Arthur Soetaert, mayor of Morinville, union president; Hon. E. W. Hinman, provincial treasurer; Dr. J. D. Wallace, Wainwright; Mrs. K. Palfrey, Wetaskiwin; Commissioner N. Newman, Red Deer; Mayor D. Broadfoot, Redcliff; Mayor A. W. Shackleford, Lethbridge; Mayor Ted Miller, Olds, and R. V. Galbraith, Ponoka, secretary-treasurer.

A major convention topic is expected to be municipal financing.

Prepare Gas Appliances Code

Establishment of an "entirely new" national code to govern the installation of gas burning appliances and equipment was announced by Industries and Labor Minister Raymond Reirson.

The code was developed over a two-year period by a committee representing provincial governments, the gas industry and the Canadian Standards Association.

Major changes embody more adequate and explicit requirements for the venting of equipment and appliances and a provision for combustion air.

The standards association, before the end of the year, plans to introduce minimum performance specifications for design of appliances and equipment. Upon adoption by Alberta, no units falling short of the specifications will be approved for sale in the province.

The new installation code sets forth minimum requirements applicable over the entire province. Local authorities may add further requirements through supplementary bylaws.

Urge Alcohol Education In Schools

EDMONTON — Alcohol education in all grades in Alberta schools was urged by the Associated Temperance Forces of Alberta.

Rev. A. L. Sanderson, Association general secretary, urged the step in a brief to the Cameron Royal Commission on education.

It is necessary, he warned, to combat "the constant increase in alcoholism in Alberta."

The brief called for the extension of alcohol education from its present status as a unit of grade 9 and 10 health and personal development course to "a unit in every grade, both in public and high schools."

"We do not propose that an entire course should be given to this subject but that it should be integrated as a unit of an existing course . . ." said the brief.

The presentation said that "in this province we have more than 10,000 alcoholics . . . drinking per capita in Alberta has increased at a rate of about 25 per cent during the last decade."

The problem, the association contended, "is not confined to adults. It has permeated down the age scale until it has become a problem among teen-agers. High school principals tell us that drinking has become a problem in the social functions of their schools."

Mr. Sanderson argued that "the basis of a good education is that students should be good." He urged the teaching of religion in schools to lay "the foundations for a good and disciplined life. Our schools have become too secular — they need God."

The modern puzzle is how the old folks managed to raise their children without about a dozen books on child care.

Denies Alberta Grads Refused In Universities

No Canadian university has found Alberta high school graduates unacceptable, the provincial education department maintains.

Dr. W. H. Swift, deputy minister of education, presented a brief to the Cameron Royal Commission on education replying to charges that graduates from Alberta high schools are denied admission to universities outside the province because of low standards.

A questionnaire sent to major Canadian universities, the brief states, indicates that "no Canadian university reports Alberta graduates as unacceptable either as a whole or in individual faculties."

PUBLICIZED CASES

Cases of difficulty which have been publicized through letters to the press "have been pursued and have been found to be in the nature of misrepresentation or of failure to take cognizance of the facts."

The only university with which difficulty has been experienced, the brief states, is the University of British Columbia which refused to take Alberta students as senior matriculants into faculties requiring a language or trigonometry.

Prairie Town Marks Christmas In August

NEIDPATH, Sask.— Christmas carols rang out recently in this community 30 miles southeast of Swift Current.

Neidpath residents mark their religious observance of Christmas in August because the village is served by a student minister and there are no church services during the winter.

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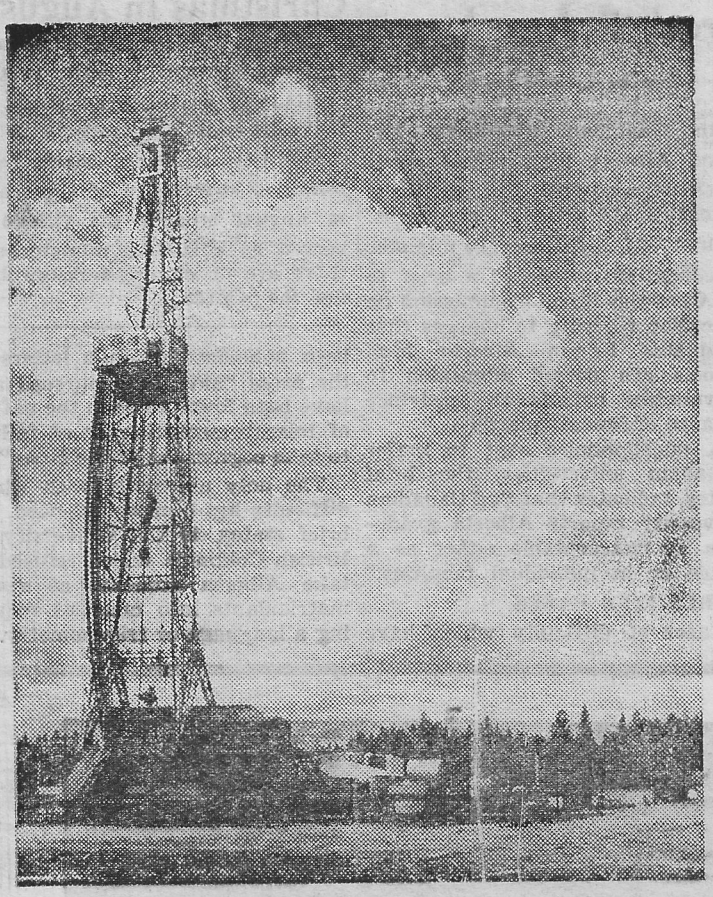

LARGEST GAS WELL — What could be the world's largest gas well has been struck at Berland River, 160 miles northwest of Edmonton. The Wildcat was drilled by B-A Oil-Shell Oil on a jointly-held reservation block. The pay zone in the productive reef is the thickest D-3 in Canada's gas drilling history. It's located about 80 miles southwest of Fox Creek.

Farewell Tea Held For Parish Priest

The Plamondon community hall was packed to capacity for a farewell tea in honor of Rev. Father Ricard, parish priest in this district for the last eight years. Rev. Father Bissonet and Rev. Father Noel were also present.

After an address of welcome, given by Martin Schaub, Father Noel spoke of the pleasant relations he had had with Father Ricard. Father Bissonet gave a brief talk, followed by Paul Piquette's address of appreciation on behalf of the members of the parish. He thanked Father Ricard for the help he had given in school affairs. He mentioned that, when times were difficult, Father Ricard had taken special training at the university to enable him to teach school, and even operated a bus to ensure the children's attendance at school when no other means of transportation was available.

An address was given by Mrs. Octave Chevigney after which the guest of honor was presented with a gift from the people of the parish.

In a farewell talk Father Ricard spoke of his experiences during his eight years as parish priest. He emphasized the importance of keeping the children at school and continuing their education, and expressed the desire that his parishioners would extend the same co-operation to his successor that that they had given him.

During the evening a short program of songs pleased those present, and tea was served by the Ladies of St. Ann and the young girls of the parish.

Publicity is usually the result of some work by the recipient.

Evangelistic Campaign at Kikino

With the raising of the tents, Aug. 25 an Evangelistic Campaign was launched at Kikino. Although it was haying time, the people were very enthusiastic. They listened attentively as the different speakers gave out the word of God. There was a total of 19 meetings.

During each meeting the children were taken to another tent for their lesson. The children enjoyed singing gospel choruses together before their Bible study.

Due to the chilly evenings and the wet weather, it was decided to move the services from the large tent into the Kikino Evangelical Church, during the week. The campaign was sponsored by this congregation.

Rev. L. Raine, main speaker, is planning to go to India with his wife and two children before Christmas. There he will be a teacher in the Berean Bible Colllege of Bombay. Other speakers included Rev. F. Wilson, Rev. E. Hurd, and Messrs D. Snyder C. W. McFarlane, R. Sparklingeyes, E. Hunter and B. Lessard.

Special singing and music was supplied by three of the speakers as well as Mr. and Mrs. F. Creighton.

Remember each Sunday you are most cordially invited to services at the Kikino Evangelical Church. Misses Penner and Theisen are teaching the Sunday School for the school term months, with Rev. Wilson in charge of the Gospel work.

Gourin

Isabelle Boulanger has accepted a situation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Anderson in Lac la Biche.

Eugene Routhier has returned home after a stay in hospital.

A new grade is being constructed on the Wandering River road leading from Gourin.

TOUR HAWAII

Hawaiian Tour Includes Luau Ceremony

The Luau Ceremony or Native Feast, one of the highlights of all Hawaiian tours, will be included in the Sun Publishing Company's tour, leaving Edmonton, Oct. 16. It will take place on Sunday, Nov. 2 and is one of the most exotic and unusual of feasts.

Ahaaina or "the gathering of friends to eat" was the ancient Hawaiian word for this event. Later, Luau, meaning "leaf of the taro" became the common expression used by the early missionaries and sea captains.

The Luau is not merely a means of satisfying hunger. It is an unhurried affair, a meeting of friends, a time of laughter, of music, of entertainment. The guests gather at sunset in the Polynesian garden overlooking the water at Waikiki. Tables covered with Tapa, Ti leaves and island flowers are arranged under the palm trees and, as evening falls, the torches are lit and the Luau begins.

Originally, the site for the Imu, or earth oven, was determined by the O-O, or dipping spade, and when the proper location was chosen, the luau began with a prayer and native ritual. The Kahuna Nui or high priest initiated the Imu with a chant of tribute to the Goddess Laka, deity of nature.

Today the ancient rituals are re-enacted at the Imu opening soon after the luau begins. When the cooking process is completed, the guests gather around the Imu as the Kahuna Nui enters reciting a chant and circling the area with a path of green Ti leaves. In his hand he carries a cornicopia of Paakai or Hawaiian rock salt. This is sprinkled on the ground as he chants the ritual of purification asking that all will be acceptable as offered in honor of the gods.

Then the earth is removed from the Imu and the foods carried on Papa Puaa, wooden luau platters to the luau area where the family blessing seals the ritual and the luau begins.

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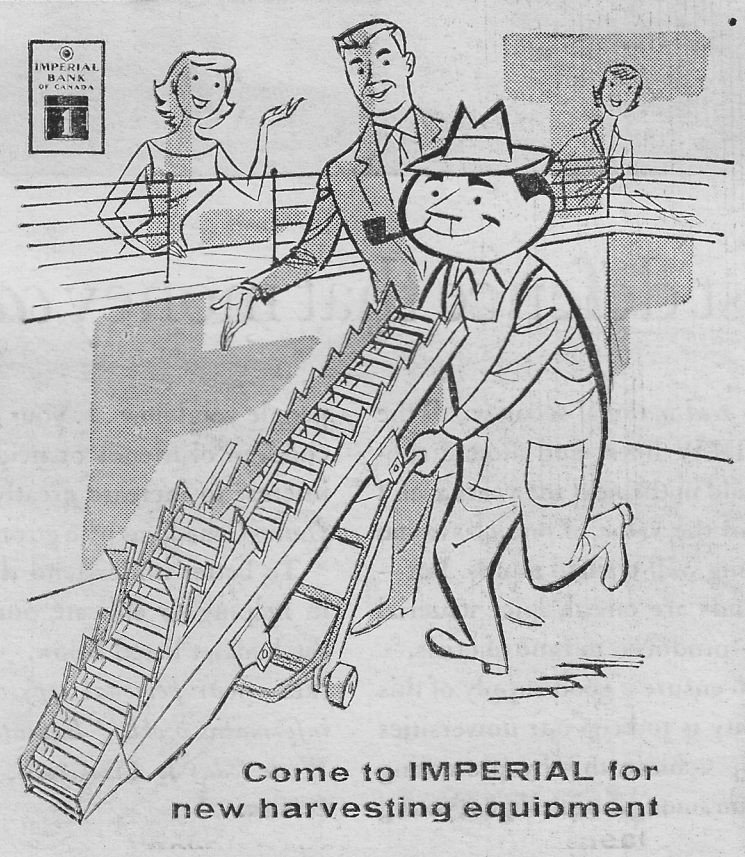

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